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This is in response to the Notice of Improper Request for Continued Examination (RCE) mailed on October 11, 2002. As discussed with Ms. Riddick earlier today, attached is a copy of the Preliminary Amendment filed on October 15, 2002.

Please direct all future telephone calls and correspondence related to the above-referenced patent application to my attention.

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## NOTICE OF IMPROPER REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

The request for continued examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 filed on 10/1/02 is improper for reason(s) indicated below:

- ☐ 1. Continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to an application for a design patent. Applicant may wish to consider filing a continuing application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) or a CPA under 37 CFR 1.53(d).
- ☐ 2. Continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to an application that was filed before June 8, 1995. Applicant may wish to consider filing a continuing application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) or a CPA under 37 CFR 1.53(d).
- ☐ 3. Continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to an application unless prosecution in the application is closed. If the RCE was accompanied by a reply to a non-final Office action, the reply will be entered and considered under 37 CFR 1.111. If the RCE was not accompanied by a reply, the time period set forth in the last Office action continues to run from the mailing date of that action.
- ☐ 4. The request was not filed before payment of the issue fee, and no petition under 37 CFR 1.313 was granted. If this application has not yet issued as a patent, applicant may wish to consider filing either a petition under 37 CFR 1.313 to withdraw this application from issue, or a continuing application under 37 CFR 1.53(b).
- ☐ 5. The request was not filed before abandonment of the application. The application was abandoned, or proceedings terminated on \_\_\_\_\_. Applicant may wish to consider filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137 to revive this abandoned application.
- ☐ 6. The request was not accompanied by the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e) as required by 37 CFR 1.114. Since the application is not under appeal, the time period set forth in the final Office action or notice of allowance continues to run from the mailing date of that action or notice.
- ☒ 7. The request was not accompanied by a submission as required by 37 CFR 1.114. Since the application is not under appeal, the time period set forth in the final Office action or notice of allowance continues to run from the mailing date of that action or notice.

**Note:** If a request for a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 CFR 1.53(d) has been filed in the utility or plant application (including a previously filed CPA) that was filed on or after May 29, 2000, the request for a CPA has been treated as a RCE because the CPA practice no longer applies to such application. The constructive RCE, however, is improper for reason(s) indicated above.

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Direct the reply and any questions about this notice to:

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IN RE APPLICATION OF: V. TERVO ET AL.

SERIAL NO.: 09/560,480

EXAMINER: J.J. Lee

FILING DATE: 4/28/00

ART UNIT: 2682

TITLE: METHOD FOR STORING AND INFORMING PROPERTIES OF A  
WIRELESS COMMUNICATION DEVICE

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10/16/02PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT IN RCE

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application, preliminarily to its further examination pursuant to the Request for Continued Prosecution filed on 26 September 2002, as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims to form presented below:

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1. (Twice Amended) A method for storing and informing at least one property of a wireless communication device to a mobile communication network, in which information for identifying said wireless communication device in the mobile communication network is stored in the wireless communication device and information relating to at least one property of said wireless communication device is stored in said wireless communication device, and transmitted from said wireless communication device to the mobile communication network, wherein an information element for storing said information for identifying said wireless communication device and said information relating to at least one property of the wireless communication device is formed in the wireless communication device.

2. (Twice Amended) The method according to claim 1, wherein